

LOCAL MATTERS.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 14.

For this section generally fair weather, no change in temperature, winds becoming north.

WORK ON THE CANAL.—Work on the C & O canal goes steadily on and much is being done from day to day. That portion between Cumberland and the tunnel, a distance of thirty miles, is now entirely completed, and from Hancock to Cumberland, a distance of sixty miles, will be finished this week, while the contractors are at work along the line are fast approaching each other. Though the canal between Hancock and Cumberland is sufficiently repaired to admit trade the business between these points is not sufficient to pay the company. It is very probable that, owing to the mysterious disappearance of all their maps, deeds, charts, &c., relating to their property just before the canal went into the hands of the receivers, a new survey of all the company's property will shortly be made. This will consume much time and involve considerable expense, as all of the county records from the time of the organization of the canal company to the present time will have to be searched, new maps, charts, deeds, &c., drawn and the entire canal property resurveyed.

RED MEN.—The Virginia Great Council of Red Men met in Richmond yesterday and was called to order by Great Sachem W. J. Taylor, of Norfolk. The council was welcomed by Hon. J. Taylor Eliason in an appropriate speech, which was responded to by the Great Sachem. Committees on credentials, business, &c., were appointed, and the credentials committee reported 68 sachems and representatives present. Mr. W. A. Saxon, of this city, was appointed on the committee on the state of the order. The Great Sachem, Chief of Records, Keeper of Wampum and Great Representative submitted their reports. These reports show an encouraging condition of the order. During the year there have been five new tribes instituted and three re-instituted. A committee was appointed to employ a lecturer to canvass the State for members, &c.; also a committee to draft resolutions on the death of Chief of Records Hall.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was clear and cool with three prisoners and two lodged at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

A colored boy, for an assault on Frank Baker, was fined \$5.

Takins Tate, colored, for an assault on Rudolph Murray, also colored, was fined \$1.50.

Sarah Lawrence, colored, and Emma Thomas, for disorderly conduct, were fined \$1 each.

Geo. Boston and Henry Munson, both colored, for fighting, were fined \$2.50 each.

Lily Whelan, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was discharged for want of evidence.

A woman charged with indecent conduct, was fined \$2.

THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE WM. GRAY took place from Robert's Chapel yesterday evening. It was very largely attended, a great many prominent citizens being present. An impressive sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Cooper. He was followed by Rev. Frank Grimes, of the colored Presbyterian church, of Washington. Both preachers drew pictures of a successful life, and dwelt on the characteristics which had made it successful. Among the pall bearers were John Credit and Bobb. Bruce, the only remaining boyhood friends of the deceased. A committee of the directors of the New Era Building Association, of which the deceased was treasurer, was present in a carriage.

PLEAD GUILTY.—The two boys, Ernest and Robert Smith, who have been in jail here for the past few weeks for house-breaking, were tried in the Corporation Court today, plead guilty and were sentenced to six months each in the city jail. The little fellows, as they sat in the prisoners' box, appeared unconcerned and said they were getting along well in jail. It is understood that a petition will be forwarded to the Governor asking him to pardon the boys, which petition, it is learned, will be approved by the Court. Should the boys be pardoned they will be taken from the city at once by their parents.

THE OLD FOLKS' CONCERT will be repeated by request on the 22nd of May. It will be given for the benefit of the children's ward of the Infirmary, an object which must appeal to the hearts of all, old and young. The concert will be under the charge of Miss Ella Johnston, of the Ministering Children's League of St. Paul's Church, assisted by Miss Florence Evans, the Misses Kathbone and the Chapter of Hope, and as many as possible of those who contributed to the success of Monday night's entertainment. It is believed the affair will be a brilliant success. Tickets are for sale at Mr. Scher's drug store and at Mr. French's book store.

CORPORATION COURT.—Judge J. K. M. Norton presiding—Brager & Goldsmith vs. J. O. Oryer and N. Lindsay & Co. vs. same; dismissed.

Helmut vs. Helmut; decree confirming sale.

Om vs. Ernest and Robert Smith; house-breaking; jury and plea of guilty and verdict for six months each in jail.

The grand jury returned indictments against the three persons presented yesterday for selling liquor on Sunday and were adjourned for the term.

CASE CONTINUED.—The case of J. H. Murray, colored, charged with the murder of Chas. Calm, also colored, in the county on Sunday last, came up before Justice J. F. Williams, colored, at the County Court House in this city today, but was continued for the defense until Tuesday next and the witnesses present were recognized for their appearance at that time. Mr. S. G. Brant represented the prisoner and Mr. J. E. Clements the Commonwealth. No testimony was taken.

MASONIC.—As heretofore stated, at the regular communication of Washington Lodge of Masons to-night Worshipful Chas. Woodberry, of Liberty Lodge of Beverly, Mass., will present Washington Lodge with a handsome gavel made of a piece of the historic elm tree under which General George Washington formally took charge of the Colonial army. At the meeting the Master Mason's degree will also be conferred, after which the visitors will be banqueted.

PROPERTY SALES.—Mr. E. S. Leadbeater has purchased the brick building at the southwest corner of King and Fairfax streets.

Misses J. Albert and William C. Field have purchased of Mr. John D. H. Lunt's house and lot on the north side of Cameron street, between Alfred and Patrick, for \$1,000.

COUNTY COURT.—Judge D. M. Chichester presiding—Julius Smith et al. vs. T. A. Goodman; unlawful detainer; motion for new trial and in arrest of judgment; motion with drawn and verdict for plaintiff.

Court adjourned till Court in course.

The best purely vegetable Spring medicine is A. B. C. Tonic.

BUILDING PERMITS.—Auditor Price today issued building permits to Mrs. Louise Muehler, for a dwelling on Columbus street, between King and Cameron, to cost \$3,700, and one to Mr. French Smoot for a dwelling on Prince street, between Alfred and Patrick, to cost \$3,000.

False Economy
Is practiced by many people, who buy inferior articles of food because cheaper than standard goods. Surely infants are entitled to the best food obtainable. It is a fact that the Gall Borden "Eagle" Brand Condensed Milk is the best infant food. Your grocer and druggist keep it.

Headache, Neuralgia, Dizziness, Nervousness, Spasms, Sleeplessness, St. Vitus dance, cured by Dr. Miles' Nervine. Samples free at druggists, by mail 10c. **MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.**

Shiloh's Consumption Cure.
This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worst cases of Cough, Croup and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10c, 50c, and \$1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

For that dull lazy feeling called Spring Fever take A. B. C. Tonic.

Ask for a bottle of "Virginia Extra Pale."

We have a speedy and positive cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache, **SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.** A nasal injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50c. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

Spring stir up the bile. You lose your appetite, feel weak, too hot, and Oul so tired. Take **Simmons Liver Regulator.**

Try the new beer—"Virginia Extra Pale."

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FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

Spring stir up the bile. You lose your appetite, feel weak, too hot, and Oul so tired. Take **Simmons Liver Regulator.**

A Wonder Worker.
Mr. Frank Hoffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and need their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and, in a day or two, enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.'s drugstore.

TOBACCO.
WORTH SAVING.
OLD PORT TAGS 100.
ELECTRIC PLUG TAGS 100.
HAWK'S 3-PLY TAGS 100.
ZULSKI TAGS 200.
HAWK'S NO. 1 19 IN. TAGS 100.

Parties mailing me any of the above number of tags will receive a fine MEERSCHAUM PIPE and CASE, or 2,500 will get a nice GOLD WATCH.

W. T. HANCOCK,
Manufacturer of Tobacco,
Richmond, Virginia.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE AMERICAN SAFETY ENVELOPE COMPANY was held at the Braddock House, Alexandria, Va., at 2 p. m. Thursday, May 14th, when the following officers and Directors were elected:

President—Capt. Chas. Newbold.
Vice President—F. B. Noyes.
Secretary and General Manager—J. Ross Howard.
Directors—Capt. Chas. Newbold, F. B. Noyes, esq., Col. M. L. Woods, J. Ross Howard and A. A. Bishop.

By R. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE.
ON TUESDAY, May 10, 1891,
at 10 o'clock a. m. I will sell at public auction, on the premises, No. 733 North Washington street, the stock of GROCERIES, NOTIONS, &c., and all the HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE on said premises. Also the TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING, No. 733 North Washington street. House to be removed, or can remain on a ground rent of \$15 per annum. Terms: Cash.

EDWARD J. QUINN,
Adm'r. of John H. H. deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR IN NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator on the estate of JOHN H. H. deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to me for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate will settle such indebtedness at once. **EDWARD J. QUINN,**
Administrator.

FOR RENT.—HOUSE No. 519 Orleans street; 6 rooms, dry cellar and large back yard. Apply to EDWARD J. QUINN. my14 3t

NOTICE.—Having been appointed SEALER OF WEIGHTS and MEASURES for this city I give notice that I can be found at No. 135 south Fairfax street. my14 3t

IF YOUR BACK ACHES,
Or you are all worn out, really good for nothing, try **BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.** It will cure you, cleanse your liver, and give you good appetite.

AMUSEMENTS.
LOUIN'S ORIGINAL FIVE JUBILEE SINGERS
Will appear at the **CEPERA HOUSE FRIDAY NIGHT,** For the benefit of Robert's Chapel. Tickets 35c. For sale at Mr. Dyson's bookstore. my13 2t

WANTS.
WANTED.—A GOOD WHITE MAN with a small family, or single, to work on a farm about two miles from Alexandria. Good wages offered, and none need apply without a good recommendation. **D. N. RUST,**
my13 1w 122 south Washington street.

NURSE WANTED. References required. Apply at this office. my12 3c

DIVIDENDS.
OFFICE ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY
A dividend of two dollars and fifty cents per share will be paid to the stockholders at the office of the company, No. 415 Prince street, on and after Friday, the 15th instant. my12 2t

S. B. PADGETT, SLATE ROOFER,
707 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Repairing neatly and promptly executed. my13 1w

SARVEN WHEELS, assorted sizes, at 328 King street, corner of Royal. The above will be sold at greatly reduced prices. Call and examine. ap21

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON,

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The lumber inspection laws of Washington are to be tested or an effort made to modify them.

The earnings of the Richmond and Danville system for the first week in May, were \$285,095; \$31,420 increase.

The Alexandria base-ball club will play a game with the club of the Washington Light Infantry in Washington on Saturday evening next.

The Potomac Shoe Factory is now running at nights to fill the constantly increasing orders received by the company for the excellent shoes now being made there.

The handsome residence of Mr. George Harlow, on Prince street, between Royal and Pitt, is being handsomely repainted and improved and will soon be occupied by Mr. Harlow.

The Fisk Jubilee Singers will give an entertainment at the Opera House to-morrow night for the benefit of Robert's Chapel, and all who attend are promised an enjoyable evening.

It is said that upon an average there is shipped over the W. & O. railroad into Washington, about 4,000 gallons of milk a day. The freight on this milk, at 2½ cents a gallon, amounts to \$100 a day or over \$35,000 a year.

The Southern Churchman says: "Rev. Mr. Castleman, who was appointed solicitor for the High School of Virginia, was not successful in raising money as his friends hoped. About \$3,500 was subscribed in Richmond; he will go elsewhere and ask for help."

The sixth annual reunion of the order of Elks of the United States will begin in Louisville on the 17th. A special train of Pullman cars carrying the members from this section of the country will pass through here on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. G. S. Smith, of this city, will attend the meeting.

Twenty-one cars loaded with iron piping, made in Alabama, passed through this city today, via the B. & O. road, for the north.

The Excise Board has approved the application for liquor licenses of J. D. Harrison, John Bergin and B. W. Avery.

Mr. Jerry Hogan, a well-known citizen of Fairfax county, died at his home at Johnson's Hill, yesterday.

The Young People's Social Club gave their last dance of the season last night.

Albert Harshman was today taken to the asylum at Staunton.

Mr. Jacob Brill at his restaurant, at the foot of King street, received today the first soft crabs of the season.

A handsome meerschaum pipe will be given to any one sending 100 of W. T. Hancock's tobacco tags to the manufacturer in Richmond. See advertisement.

A called meeting of the Young Men's Sociality League will be held Friday evening, May 16, 1891, at 8 p. m. A full attendance is requested.

JUST RECEIVED.
A fresh lot of **BEAL LITHIA WATER** at **J. D. H. LUNT'S.** mh31

J. D. H. LUNT,
agent to the Celebrated

ASBEY BROMIDE OF ARSENIC WATER [sep25]

PAINT YOUR BOGGY FOR ONE DOLLAR.
Another supply of **CROWN CARRIAGE GLOSS PAINT** ready for use; only one coat necessary. For sale by **W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.** sep6

CURACOA BITTERS
WILL KEEP OFF MALARIA. For sale at **LUNT'S.** feb26

ANOTHER NEW ONE!
SOAP WONDERFUL FOR CLEANING CLOTHES. Price 10c per box at **J. D. H. LUNT'S.** mh9

PERRY'S HAIR OIL SOAP.
Three sizes—\$1, 60 and 25c sizes; the finest article in the world for hair. For sale by **W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.** feb27

WHITE WASH BRUSHES of superior quality and cheap grades for sale wholesale and retail at 325 King street. Call and examine. Price low. **J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.** ap21

LAUNDRY WAX.—An elegant, smooth and glossy finish put on your linen by the use of **Laundry Wax.** Five cents a cake. For sale by **ERNEST L. ALLEN,** Corner King and Pitt streets. feb10

A CARLOAD OF MASON'S FRUIT JARS just received and for sale at lowest prices. Country merchants will do well to write for our prices before placing their orders. **E. J. MILLER & SON.** ap29

MOCKING BIRD FOOD.
Put up in boxes and bottles, at 25c each. **ERNEST L. ALLEN,** Corner King and Pitt streets. feb13

DYSPEPSIA CURE.
ABOMANNA!
Just received a supply of the above celebrated preparation. It never fails. Price 25c. For sale by **W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.** oct29

"SARSAPARILLA,"
FOR THE BLOOD,
feb26 **J. D. H. LUNT'S.**

FINE WINTER-CURED HAMS.—3 tiers mild winter-cured Hams, small sizes, just received and for sale low by **J. C. MILBURN.** ap29

SEEDS.—We have just received our third supply of Landreth's celebrated Garden Seeds. Catalogues free on application. **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.** ap25

FOR CHILLS AND FEVER
Try **LUNT'S AGUE CURE.** Price 50c per bottle. feb26

DRIED CHERRIES, Raisins, Currants, Peaches and Prunes for sale by **J. C. MILBURN.** ap23

BEAL LITHIA WATER at 25c per gallon at **J. D. H. LUNT'S.** ap2

PRIME SUN-CURED DRIED APPLES are scarce this season. Two barrels just received by **J. C. MILBURN.** [mh4]

BISHOP'S RELIABLE COUGH CURE. For sale by **WM. T. SMITH.** oct25

ROYAL MALT EXTRACT, an excellent tonic recommended by physicians, for sale by **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.** ap18

HONEY DROP CANNED CORN is the best. For sale at **J. C. MILBURN'S.** my7

FISH FOOD for sale by **WARFIELD & HALL.** jan6

A FULL LINE OF TOILET and LAUNDRY SOAPS for sale low by **J. C. MILBURN.** mh4

CHOICE EVAPORATED and DRIED APPLES for sale by **J. C. MILBURN.** [ap23]

CANNED SALMON and LOBSTER for sale by **J. C. MILBURN.** my11

HILL'S LUNCH BISCUITS, new and nice, for sale by **J. C. MILBURN.** [nov8]

NEW CODFISH just received by **J. C. MILBURN.** nov8

PRIME CANNED PEACHES for sale by **J. C. MILBURN.** oct10

HOUSEHOLD TOILET SOAP, 45c per doz, for sale at **[aug13]** **J. C. MILBURN'S.**

MEDICINAL.

CANCER
TREATISE on CANCER and Blood Diseases mailed FREE.

Address **THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,** Atlanta, Ga. **CURED.**

The Effect Was Magical.

I suffered from cancer on my lip that defied the skill of the best physicians of the State. I had it burned out, but the operation only made it worse, causing it to spread over more surface and eat deeper in. I finally used Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) to heal it up and drove the poison out of my blood. The effect of the Specific was magical! It healed up entirely without leaving a scar as a reminder. This was over four years ago, and since then there has been no sign of a return of the cancer. I will cheerfully answer any inquiries in regard to my case. **EMOS YOUNG, Bradford, Ohio.**

Book on Blood and Skin Diseases Free. **THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.**

Health is Wealth!

DR. E. C. WEST'S NERVE AND BRAIN TREATMENT, a guaranteed specific for Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Fits, Nervous Neuralgia, Headache, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of alcohol or tobacco, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Softening of the Brain resulting in insanity and leading to misery, decay and death, Premature Old Age, Barrenness, Loss of Power in either sex, Involuntary Losses and Spermatorrhea caused by over-exertion of the brain, self-abuse or over-indulgence. Each box contains one month's treatment. \$1.00 a box, or six boxes for \$5.00. Sent by mail prepaid on receipt of price.

WE GUARANTEE SIX BOXES to cure any case. With each order received by us for six boxes, accompanied with \$5.00, we will send the purchaser our written guarantee to refund the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued only by **CHARLES G. LENTON,** Druggist, 604 King street, General Agent, Alexandria, Va.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

45 CENTS

Buys a pair of MEN'S TENNIS OXFORDS, worth 50c; a pair of LADIES' OPEA TOE SLIPPERS, worth 50c; better than can be had elsewhere for 50c each.

\$1.15

Buys a suit of CHILD'S KNEE-PANTS CLOTHES; only a few suits left; worth \$1.75.

\$1.25

Buys a pair of our BRIGHT DONGOLA BUT-TON SHOES, Common Sense and Opera Toes; a bargain at \$1.75. Only a few dozen pairs left—no more when these are gone. The finest line of LADIES' and GENTS' SHOES at

JOHN A. MARSHALL & BRO'S., 422 KING STREET.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.
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The undersigned holding one-tenth of the capital stock of the NEW SOUTH MINING and IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, hereby calls a general meeting of the stockholders of said company, to be held at the Braddock House, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock m., on the 15th DAY OF MAY, 1891.

APR 15 WID
THOS. L. BOSSER.

LAWN GOODS!
CEMETERY GOODS!

GARDEN GOODS!
ALL KINDS AND DESCRIPTIONS,
AT
E. H. Morsell's Hardware Houses,
1105 & 1107 SEVENTH ST. N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

THE GROCER'S SUMMER CLOSING HOUR.
Alexandria, Va., May 7, 1891.

We, the undersigned, agree to close our respective place of business at 6:30 p. m., Saturdays excepted, from May 11th to September 15th, inclusive.

G. Wm. Ramsey, J. C. Milburn, Fisher Bros., W. A. Johnson & Co., Walter Gregory, Garrett & Monroe, Jas. L. Pettit, Thos. Lannon, Harlow Bros., R. H. Havenor, Robt. Elliott. my7 9t

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NEW SPRING WALL PAPER.

The Largest, Best and Cheapest WALL PAPER, BORDERES and DECORATIONS. WINDOW SHADES and CURTAIN POLES. A specialty.

JOHN P. CLARKE,
m-4 1m* NO. 612 KING STREET.

\$100 IS OFFERED BY THE MANUFACTURER OF TUBES & CATHARTIC CURE for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured with this remedy. We have sold quantities of it and believe it to be an excellent preparation. **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.** my11

SINCE OUR FIRST ADVERTISEMENT OF PETERMAN'S ROAST FOOD we have had a steady sale for this article and have received numerous testimonials of the highest order. Every housekeeper should have it. For sale by **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.** my11

LITTLE'S SHEEP D.P. WYETH'S Beef Juice, Wyeth's Beef, Iron and Wine, Pecker's Tar Soap, Colgate's Lase Soap for washing delicate fabrics, Bromo Selzer, Benz's Soda, Occident Oil, Garfield Tea, &c., just received by **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.** my11

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and Whiskey Habits cured at home without pain. Book of particulars sent FREE. **W. M. WOOLLEY, M. D.,** 602-1015 Whitehall St. Ga. Oct-1891

VIRGINIA CLARET.
50 cases Virginia Claret from the vineyard of the Monticello Wine Company in store and for sale by **[my8 1w]** **W. A. JOHNSON & CO.**

FOR DYSPEPSIA, Indigestion and Stomach disorders, use **BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.** All dealers keep it. \$1 per bottle. Genuine has trade-mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

ONE of the best five-cent Sars on the market is COLGATE & CO'S. MENTHOL. For sale by **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.** my11

TRINFANCOR.—A perfectly digestible food for infants. 50c per pound can. For sale by **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.** my11

FINEST QUALITY GUNPOWDER and CO. LONG LEAS for sale at **J. C. MILBURN'S.** my11

GOOD GREEN, BL CK and MIXED TEAS for sale at 45c by **J. C. MILBURN.** my11

DRIED SUGAR CORN for sale by **J. C. MILBURN.** my11

DRY GOODS.

SOMETHING NEW FOR THIS WEEK'S SALES.